

OUR LADY OF OSTRABRAMA

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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This is my Beloved son.



LISTEN TO HIM

February 25, 2024
Second Sunday of Lent

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading - [Genesis 22:1-2, 9A, 10-13, 15-18](#): God tested Abraham's faith by asking him to sacrifice Isaac, his beloved son. At the moment of sacrifice, an angel stopped him, providing a ram instead. Abraham's obedience led to God's promise of countless descendants and blessings for all nations.

Responsorial Psalm - [Psalm 116](#): *R. I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living.* Despite despair, I recognize the Lord values His faithful. Freed from my burdens, I offer thanks and fulfill my vows publicly, choosing to dwell in God's presence throughout my life on earth.

Second Reading - [Romans 8:31B-34](#): If God is for us, no one can oppose us. He gave His Son for us and will freely give us all things. God declares us righteous, and Christ intercedes for us, ensuring no condemnation.

Gospel - [Mark 9:2-10](#): Jesus, accompanied by Peter, James, and John, underwent a miraculous transformation on a secluded mountain, where his appearance became dazzlingly white. There, Elijah and Moses appeared and conversed with Him. Overcome by the moment, Peter suggested building shelters for each. A divine voice affirmed Jesus as the beloved Son, urging them to heed His words. Following this profound experience, Jesus cautioned them to keep the event confidential until His resurrection, leaving them contemplative about its significance.



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CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Daily: 8:30am Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:30 pm

Sundays: 8:00 am, 9:30 am (Polish), 11:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday 4:00 - 5:00 pm or any time by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Each Sunday during Mass at 11:00 am.
Call the Rectory to make an appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Marriages are to be scheduled at least six months in advance by interview with a parish priest. Pre-Cana conferences are required.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:

Please call the Rectory to arrange for the Sacrament of the Sick and Communion to be brought to the home or hospital.

After 830am Mass on First Saturdays

DEVOTIONS:

Eucharistic Adoration: Last Thursday of the month 7pm; First Friday, 9:00 am;

Miraculous Medal Novena: Monday after 8:30 am Mass

Rosary 8am, Before daily Mass

PARISH REGISTRATION: Census cards are in the Rectory

Parish Outreach: Coordinator—Maria Fedele

631 477 6469 / email:northforkparishoutreach@gmail.com

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MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, February 24th

8:30am +Eugene & Antone Chituk from Dottie Chituk

5:30pm +For an increase in Religious Vocations

SUNDAY, February 25th

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

8:00am +Thomas Grattan

9:30am (Polish) + Jolanta Zdziemborska

11am (Family Mass) + for all families

MONDAY, February 26th

8:30am +John Zuhoski from his Wife

TUESDAY, February 27th

8:30am +John Olszewski from Carolyn & Fred Lubanski

WEDNESDAY, February 28th

NO MASS

THURSDAY, February 29th

8:30am+Parishioners & Benefactors

FIRST FRIDAY, March 1st

8:30am +

6:30 & 7:00 STATIONS of the CROSS



FIRST SATURDAY, March 2nd

8:30am +

5:30pm +

SUNDAY, March 3rd

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

8:00am +Stephan & Franciszka Ficner & all deceased members the Ficner family from Dotty Chituk

9:30am (Polish) + Helena & Kazimierz Szmańscy

11am (Family Mass) +





Light and darkness, heaven and earth, past and present; God's voice speaking from a cloud. Mark places the episode right at the heart of his gospel. It points *back* to the very beginning of the gospel, when a voice from heaven speaks at Jesus' baptism, saying 'You are my son, the beloved'. And it points *forward* to the Passion, where Jesus takes Peter, James and John aside once again, this time to watch with him in Gethsemane. Once again, they struggle to understand, and fall asleep.

The transfiguration is a moment out of time which illuminates the journey on which the disciples have embarked with Jesus. The cross is at the heart of Mark's Gospel. Everything points to it, anticipates it, leads from it. Through the cross glory is experienced. The Christian experience is one of transformation. Ultimately, the gospel invites us to see the world through the lens of God's promise. The transfiguration points to the cross but also to the glory of the resurrection. It opens up the possibility that death does not have the last word. It reminds us that God's reign is both now and not yet, and we are called to be communities of hope.

How does the reality of the Transfiguration and the Resurrection give you hope?

BIBLE STUDY

The Gospel of Mark

Wednesdays,
February 28, March 6,
13 (20)

7:30 pm, Parish Hall

With Msgr. Michael Flynn

Who is Mark? Where did he learn about Jesus since he wasn't one of the original Twelve? Come and find out.

All are welcome. AND BRING YOUR BIBLE!



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Please join us for the
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Grand Marshal
March 23, 2024

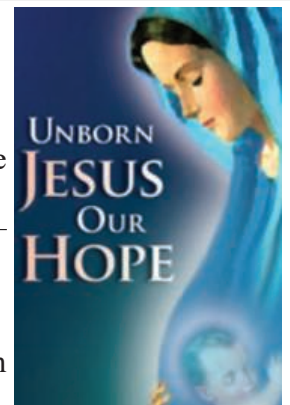
11 am Rally
Foley Square, 148-152 Worth
Street (at Centre St)

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www.personhoodeducationny.com/international
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Respect for Life Prayer

O God, our eyes behold the beauty of your creation, and our ears catch the sounds of your power. We hold our lives sacred because they are your gift. Bring us to greater awareness of the sanctity of human life and to sorrow for the times we have ignored or offended it. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



COFFEE with JESUS

Lenten services via zoom

With Bishop Andrzej

Online Lenten reflections on
Scripture readings with special
emphasis on the Last Words of Jesus

February 23, March 8, & March 22 10am



*To register, please call Suzanne
516-744-6850 or email
westernvicariate@drvc.org*



THEOLOGY 101:

With Father Roy Tvrdik
Wednesdays 3pm
followed by
Mass at 4:30

FINANCIAL CORNER

Sunday February 18: \$3154
Dues: \$50; Poor Box/Candles:
\$191

TOTAL: \$3395

Prayer Requests : Please Pray For: Antoni Komorowski; Stanley Melon; Russ Goldsmith; Mary Berdinka; Maureen Sanok; Juan Carlos Romay; Greg Lamm; Lisa Eastwood; PEACE; Lauren Uribe; Laurie Krom; Billy Hickox; Helen Puric; Jackie Bendick; Our Youth; Victims of Abuse; the unemployed/under employed; Our Country; end of abortion; priests & deacons.



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